

DOI Work Activity 1W: Issue Grazing Use Authorizations

Program Area:	Resource Use – FORAGE
End Outcome Goal:	UEO 3 – LAND-RELATED RESOURCES – Manage or Influence Resource Use to Enhance Public Benefit, Responsible Development, and Economic Value
Intermediate Outcome:	UIO 3.1 (Forage) – Provide Access for Grazing
DOI Sub process:	4a – Manage use of resources

Examples/Notes: -

Work Activity Description: Grazing Use Authorizations Issued work involves the issuance of, billings, free use permits, exchange of use permits, trailing permits, temporary non-renewable permits during the Fiscal Year and includes:

- Preparing stipulations for the authorization
- Data management support of Rangeland Administrative System (RAS) records and GIS support
- Generating the billing from RAS
- Collecting the grazing fee.

Work and accomplishments for transferring grazing preferences should be coded to DOI Work Activity 1S -Transfer Grazing Preferences; work and accomplishments for issuing grazing permits should be coded to DOI Work Activity 1E - Issue Grazing Permits/Leases

Output: Grazing Use authorizations issued	<p>Unit of Measure: Number of Grazing Use Authorizations issued.</p> <p>Report one unit upon issuing each bill for scheduled grazing in the Annual Grazing Authorization; approval of a Supplemental Application and Billing; approval of a Trailing permit; approval of a Temporary Non-Renewable grazing authorization; or approval of a free use grazing authorization. RAS captures the data within the controls of the program data screens as use authorizations are issued. To be given credit for previous fiscal year accomplishments, all applicable data needs to be inputted into RAS and a downloaded disc submitted to National Science and Technology Center by October 15. A RAS 4000-1 User Guide is available.</p>
Inputs: -	Cost Drivers: -

System Interfaces: The Rangeland Administrative System (RAS) resides on standalone microcomputers (RAS/120) in the field offices. They use the commercial off-the-shelf data base management system (DBS).

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